

House Resolution No. 1882

Whereas, upon occasion the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize those businesses which have performed an invaluable service to their community; and

Whereas, St. Charles Commerce Bank will receive the prestigious St. Charles Crime Stoppers 2004 Business of the Year award during the Twelfth Annual Community Recognition Dinner to be held April 14, 2005, at The Stegtons Banquet Center in St. Charles; and

Whereas, Crime Stoppers is a community program which provides citizens with an anonymous way to report crimes and suspicious activities; and

Whereas, since its opening in 1970, St. Charles Commerce Bank has continually demonstrated its commitment to the community, the St. Charles City Police Department, and to law enforcement in general; and

Whereas, St. Charles Commerce Bank holds distinction as the first bank in St. Charles County to fingerprint non-customers attempting to cash checks at the bank, a service it began providing in 1993, being involved and on the Board of Directors of the St. Charles Crime Stoppers since 1989, and providing assistance in the Annual Awards Banquet for St. Charles Police Department and community charity events; and

Whereas, St. Charles Commerce Bank established a Bank Watch Program in 1995, a program in which officers would inform bank managers of criminal activity at area banks and teach employees how to detect and to react to a possible bank robbery, which paid off on December 20, 2003, when the bank was robbed for the first time in its existence:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty and robust congratulations to St. Charles Commerce Bank at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for St. Charles Commerce Bank.

Offered by _____

Representative Tom Dempsey
District No. 18

Representative Sally A. Faith
District No. 15

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 1882, adopted April 6, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker